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CHANCERY SALE,

By suthority of a decree of the Sepreme Court of
this District passed in a case relating to the estate
of the late G U. Grammer. ir. I will on the days
and hour and in the order hereinafter named, on
the premises, expose to sale to the highest bidder
the following valuable real estate, to wit:

On WEDNESDAY, Nov. 2th, at the o'clock p. m.
Lots No 2, in Reservation O, fronting — feet on
Maryland avenue, near the Canal Bridge at 3d
street. Island.
Lots A and B, in sub-division of part of Square No
731, each fronting 20 feet on Pennsylvania avenue, between 1st and 2d streets east, near the
Capitol Square. Improved by two frame and
one brick tenement.

THURSDAY, November 10th, at 5 o'clock p. m. rarts of Lots Nes. 12 and 13, in Square No. 401.
fronting 5 feet on the west side of 8th street
west, by 100 feet deep. This property is situated near to the General Post Office; improved by a two-story brick house.

Part of Lot No. 12, in Square No. 533, being the porth 25 feet fronting on 43s street, by depth of 112 f. et 11 inches to a wide public alley. This Lot is opposite the First Presbyterian Church, and forms a portion of the grounds attached to the residence of the late G. C. Grammer, sen. On FRIDAY, Nov. 11th, at 4% o'clock p. m.

Lot No. 9, in Square No. 297, fronting 25 feet on south D street, by 140 feet deep to a public alley between 12th and 13th streets, Island. On SATURDAY, Nov. 12th. at 425 o'clock p. m. Let No. 6 and Lot lettered G. in Square No. 164. frosting respectively on north L street and Connecticut avenue.

On MONDAY, Nov 14th, at 12 o'clock m., at the Auction Rooms,
A valuable Tract of Land lying partly in the county of Washington D. C. and partly in Montgowery county, Md., frenting on the Rock Creek Church Road, near the farm of the late Wm. M. Morrison, containing 48 acres, and possesses a very fine building site. A plat of this land may be seen at the Auction Rooms Terms, as prescribed by the decree: One-third cash; the residue in 6 and 12 months, with interest, the building site. or which the purchaser's bonds, wi h sarety, will be taken, and a lien reserved on the property If the terms be not complied with within five days from the day of sale, the trustee reserves the right to resell, on seven days' public notice, at the risk and cost of the purchaser failing to

Stamps, deeds, &c , at the cost of the purchaser, W. B. TODD, Trustee, oc?5-cod ds J. C. McGUIRB & CO.. Aucts.

TOREEN & WILLIAMS, Auctioneers. VALUATIE SALE OF FOUR STORY BRICK HOU'E AND LOT ON SINTH STREET WEST, BETWEEN E AND F STREETS NORTH, AT AUCTION.

On TUESDAY, the 1st day of November next, at On TUFSDAY, the 1st day of November next, at 4% o'cleck p. m., we shall sell, in front of the premises, parts Lots 2 and 4, in Square 488, with the improvements, consisting of a Four-story Brick House, with large halls, pations, chambers, gas and water, making it a handsome private residence in the central part of the city.

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TRUSTEES SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY TRUSTEE S SALE OF VALUACLE PROPERTY ON 2D STREET WEST, BETWEEN B AND C SIREETS NORTH.

On MONDAY AFTERNOON, November 21, 1834, at 4 o'clock, on the premises, by virtue of a deed of trust, dated March 15, 364, and duly recorded in Liber J. A. S. No 75, foliossiset seq., and of the land records for Washington county, I shall sell Lot 26, in reservation No. It, fronting 25 feet on 21 strest west, between B and C streets north, running back 150 feet to a 25 foot alley, with a wide public siley running the full depth of the lot on the sout side. The lot is improved with several small tenements.

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I shall sell at the Auction Rooms of J. C. Mc-Guire & Co., on TUESDAY, the lst of November, 1864, at 12 M., by virtue of a deed of trust to the subscriber, bearing date the 231 of May, 1859, and recorded in Liber B. No. 4, Folios 123 &c., one of the land records for Fairfax county, Virginia, the following described property lying and heing in the land records for fairfax county, Virginia, the following described property, lying and being in the county of Fairfax, and State of Virginia, viz: Begining at A. s'one planted on the south side of the Middle Pike Road, thence with said pike northwesterly to Samuel Perkins' corner at J. thence southwesterly along said Perkins line to a stake I, thence southerly along the said Perkins line to a stake L, thence northwesterly along said Perkins' line to a stake K, thence southerly to the north tork of Holmes' run on Kingsman's line to north fork of Holmes' run on Kingsman's H. two marked maples, pine and oak saplings at Kingsman's corner, thence southeasterry along the said run to D. a stake one pole from Lipsbumb's line, thence north 32 deg., east 231 poles to A, the beginning, containing 10 acres of Land, more or less, together with all and singular, the improvements, priviliges, hereditaments, and apportenances to the san e Terms: Fifteen hundred dollars in cash on the day of sale; the resi ue in twelve months from day

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H. N. GILBERT, trustee.

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SALE OF CONDEMNED QUARTERMASTER'S STORES, AMBULANCES, &c. Chief Quartermaster's Office, Depot of Washington, Washington, D. C., October 2', 1864. Washington, D. C., October 27, 1501.
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THE GREAT ELECTION FRAUD.

[From the Baltimore American, Oct. 29.] Proceedings of the Commission. The Military Commission met at one o'clock. The case of E. Donohue, of Albany, was immediately taken up. It will be remembered that it was postponed in order to enable the accused to procure counsel. He had telegraphe to on e previous evening to Peter Cagger, of Albaby, and Sanford E. Church, of New York, explaining his situation and requesting their as sistance, and had received an answer telling him that it was impossible to come on here, and that he must produce counsel himself. He

therefore undertook nis own defense. The Judge Advocate said:-The prisoner first wishes to object to the jurisdiction of the Court, on the ground that the offense charged is one that should be tried not by a military, but by a civil court. In the second place, pleading to the merits, he pleads guilty of having signed certain blanks mentioned in the act referred to, the name of C. (). Arthur, Captain and Assistant Adjutant General, but that he is not guilty of having signed any other officer's or private's name. He claims that this signing not having specified the regiment of the officer, and it not appearing that there was any officer of that name in the volunteer service of the State of New York, did not constitute a crime; that such votes were on their face illegal and could not be received.

It is but fair to state that the Government claims that the accused has forged the names of soldiers and of other officers, specifying the regiments. It will be, therefore, necessary for the Government to go into proof on that point. The Court decided that it had jurisdiction in

the case. Mr. Orville K. Wood, of West Chazy, Clinton county, N. Y., was then sworn on the part of the Government, and testified in substance as follows:

Resides at West Chazy, Clinton county, N Y.; is a merchant; came to Baltimore as the agent of the Union committee of his county to assist in procuring the soldiers' vote in this city; visited Fort McHenry, and there met Capt. McDermott, of the 91st New York regiment, and several soldiers from Clinton county; stopped there two or three days; in a conversation with Capt. McDermost in relation to the voting of the soldiers, he remarked that there had been some "checker playing," and his suspicions were aroused; also visited Newton University Hospital, and from what he heard there suspected that something was wrong; went to the office of the State agency. 85 West Fayette street, and there met Mr. Ferry; asked him how things were getting along, giving him to understand that he (Wood) belonged to the McClellan party; Ferry desired to know if he had a commission from Gov. Seymour; he told him that he had not, but he represented his county committee; Ferry desired to see his commission; said he had none, but had a list of soldiers of his county, which appeared to satisfy Ferry; told Ferry that he came to Baltimore to get the vote of the 91st New York; was informed that it had been taken-McClellan received 400 votes and Lincoln il; he expressed surprise at the small number of votes polled for Lincoln, when Ferry said that when Union votes came into that ffice they were all right when they went out, and that they were doing more here than he

thought of. The prisoner objected to the evidence, as he was not present at this interview between Mr. Wood and Mr Ferry.
The Judge Advocate said it was necessary

as it would be shown Donohue had been a party to the frauds alluded to by Ferry The Court was cleared, and, on its reopening,

the President decided that the evidence should be received. Mr. Wood, continuing:-Ferry stated there was no necessity for my going any further, as the Clinton county lists of voters could be signed in his office without any trouble, saw a clerk engaged in copying names from a large blank tooks Ferry said he (Wood) could take the clerk's

place, in order that the lists he should prepare would not be sent to his own county; the clerk then took the list in the possession of Wood and proceed to fill up blanks purporting to be the votes of members of the 6th New York cavalry; Wood commenced filling the blanks for dates etc., in the power of attorney, which were signed at the nottom with the name of "C. (1. Arthur;" Ferry added to the signature the words "Captain and Assistant Adjutant General;" Wood de ired to send the votes to New York, but Ferry objected, as it was necessary to wait for Donohue, who was in Washington,

and he would telegraph for him [It should be explained here that the soldiers' power of attorney contains blanks for the inertion of four names-that of the voter himself, the person authorized to receive the ballot. the witness to the affidavit, and the officer before whom it is made. Such was the completeness of the plot that a different person filled each blank |

Continuing his evidence, Mr. Woood said hat on Saturday afternoon last he met Donohue and Edward Newcomb, also of Albany, at Ferry's office; considerable conversation en sued about the latter's telegraphing to Washington for Donohue to come to Baltimore; Donohue said he was on the eve of starting to City Point, as he had received a pass, etc., from the War Department; the party then separated for the night, with the understanding that they were to meet at 9 o'clock on Suuday morning, in order that a sufficient number of blanks be fixed up to give employment to Ferry, who had used nearly all of his supply; meton Sunday according to appointment: Newcomb said he understood that there were about twenty men in Washington busily engaged in sending ballots to New York in dry goods boxes: Ferry, Donchue, Newcomb and Wood seated themselves at a table and began filling up blanks, both the powers of Attorney and the envelopes in which they are inclosed; Newcomb wrote one name in the blanks and Donohue an-

other, generally the last. The prisoner here interrupted the witness with the remark, "Do you swear I wrote a soldiers name?"

Mr. Wood-I do. Several blanks were produced, all bearing the signature of "C. G. Arthur, Captain and Assistant Adjutant General," as the officer in whose presence the affidavit was made and the signature of the witnesses affirmed—full sets of powers of attorney, the blanks all filled, and ready to be deposited in the ballot box as soon as a ticket would be inserted. One package of thirty, in which the names had all been forged was identified by Mr. Wood as the work of Donohue. Among the names fraudulently inserted were those of Lieutenant Colonel Murphy, of the 7th New York artillery, and Captain Smith, of the 83d New York.]

The witness, continuing, said thirty of the proxies were for Clinton county; a package of fifty-five was to be sent to General James Farrell, Commissary General of Subsistence of the State of New York; Ferry remarked while writing that Denohue had a letter from General Farrell inclosing a list of soldiers who resided in kis county, and that he had fixed fifty-five proxies which were ready to be forwarded to Farrell; Donohue said he would make out Farrell's list, and send it together with what Ferry

The following is the let er from General Farrell, found in the office of the State agent: New York. Oct. 20, 1861 - Edward Donohue, Jr., Esq. Baltimore :- Dear Sir: Euclosed in this package you will find tickets-also a list of arges of actual residents of Columbia county. now members of the 128th regiment. With my best wishes for your success, I remain, &c., JAMES A. FARRELL, Commissary General.

The examination was resumed, and Mr. Wood said two soldiers came into Ferry's office and signed powers of attorney; each placed a Union electoral and Democratic State ticket in their envelopes, but Ferry abstracted the Union ballots and put in those containing the names of the McClellan electors; on Monday Wood went to Col. Woolley's office; informed him of what was being done; the office at 85 West Fayette street was then visited, Donohue and Ferry, with the books, papers, &c., captured.

The paraphersalia of the concern was exhibited to the court, including a number of letters, among which was the following, which was found in the package of fifty five votes, addressed to "Gen. J. A. Farrell, Hudson, N. Y," with the words "New York State Agency, 55 West Fayette street, Baltimore, Md." printed in one corner, and the letter marked "Personal" It will be perceived that it is an answer to the letter above : NEW YORK STATE AGENCY, 85 West Fayette

street, Baltimore, October 22, 1864.—General J. A. Farrell:—My Dear Sir—I send with this note a number of ballots for your county. I have made out a number from the list you sent me. I also send a package put up by Mr. Ferry, the State Agent, and you will find a note from him explaining things. I guess you have enough. Fearing that you might not, I enclose envelopes and powers of attorney sworn to.
You can fill up for Columbia or any other
county. You can fill them up as well in your
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Supervisor's list of any county. In baste, your friend, E. D., Jr. You can procure large envelopes for attorney's names at Albany. Put in some good

names for Attorneys. During the reading of this letter the prisoner assisted the Judge Advocate in deciphering

some of the words. A rell purporting to be a list of sick and wounded New York soldiers, under treatment at the Jarvis Hospital, in this city, was shown. It contained about four hundred names. Mr. Wood testified that Ferry informed him, in answer to a question, "that dead or alive they all had cast a good vote." The crowded state of our columns prevents the publication of the names in full. The following was among the papers found

on the person of the accused. It is from the Sheriff of Albany, New York: SHERIEP'S OFFICE, ALBANY, Oct. 14 .- B. Donahue, Esq, Baltimore: Dear Sir: Your telegraph of 10th and also your letters of 10th and 11th instants, came to hand in due course of mail. I answered your telegraph by sendind Edward Newcomb, and you have, of course, got the answer before this time. How

do you like it?
I saw Mr Cagger and showed him your telegraph. He does not want to spare Barney It you want more help, I will send you some one. As to sending the proxies, you had better send them by Mr. Wallace. He always calls at the State Agency when coming this way Send them as fast as you can get them-first to me. All is well here, and we are confident of complete success.

It is unnecessary to say that all here have entire confidence in your skill and ability, and hope you will like your help. Please keep me acvised. Yours, H. CRANDELL, Yours, The subjoined letters, which were put in as a portion of the evidence, will explain them-

ALBANY, Sept. 23, 1861-M. J. Ferry, Esq.: Dear Sir-I shall be detained about one week from this time, before I shall git home. The State Committee are in session here to-day. They are very sure that we are to carry this State. They are confident that we will come up to Albany with a majority of seventy thou-

My regards to Mr. Munday. Yours, respect-STEPHEN MAXON Maxon is said to be a Surgeon in one of the United States hospitals. The "dear Ed.," al-Inded to in the following, is the assistant sent by Sheriff Chandell-Edward Newcomb. ALBANY, Oct. 17, 1864 - My Dear Ed : I arrived here vesterday morning, and to-day I have cailed on Cagger, Crandell, Waterman, and others. They are well satisfied with our efforts in the cause. I am to be sent away again on Wednesday afternoon. I do not know where I am to be sent. I will ask that you be attached to my personal staff I have told Carger that you were a good man. Remain about Baitimore or Washington until you hear from me or Sheriff Crandell. See what you can do and advise our pecpie here.

In haste, your friend, DONOHUE. On the conclusion of the reading of the letters and examination of the powers of attorney. etc., the examination of Mr. Wood was re-

sumed. He said: Newcomb remarked in Ferry's office that it would take the Abolition papers three months to discuss the frauds, when the election was over; when he arrived in New York he intended to call at the World office, and give them some points, with the idea, he supposed, of giving the Union party the blame; all were telling of their achievements in fraud at the ballot-bex; Donohue boasted of having done some sharp tricks in his district in Albany; he could always secure any majority that was necessary for his candidate: he used "marrowfat" tickets, which consisted of a number of ballots folded together, which would become separated on being forced through the aperture of the ballot box; he was inspector of elections, and always had sharp clerks; they made the poll-books containing the names of voters, taily with the tickets when counted, by quickly writing down the necessary number of names to correspond with the number of tickets in the "marrow-fats;" the affair was easily managed; when the votes came to be counted in the presence of a committee of the

par'y in opposition to his own they could be very easily blinded. The prisoner objected to the detailing of what he said about himself, as it had nothing to do with the case under consideration. The Judge Advocate argued that it was ne-

cessary to prove the spirit that prompted the torgery with which the prisoner was charged. It would be shown that he had been engaged in similar practices before. The Court decided that the evidence was admissible. Mr. Donobue, the prisoner, cross-examined

the witness, who, in answer to his questions replied substantially as follows: Donohue signed six names at the request of Wood, to be sent to D H. Parsons, Clinton county, N. Y.; had seen Donohue sign several powers of attorney, in some of which the

blanks were all filled, and in others only partially so; he supposed that when Capt. McDermott teld him at Fort McHenry that there had been "checker playing" with the soldiers' vote that foul play was going on somewhere, and he determined to terret it out. The Judge Advocate here exhibited to the Court eighteen completed proxies, signed "C.

G. Arthur, Captain and A. A. G.," and thirtyfive signed "C. G. Arthur, First Lieutenant Company I, Ninth New York Cavalry." ohue admitted that he had written the name but disclaimed having anything to do with affixing the rank and title of the thirty-five, which had been done by Ferry. Other packages were finished with other forged signa-The records of the War Department were

searched to find the names of the siguers, but in several instances they proved to be "men of straw. Mr. Newcomb, of Albany, also an agent of New York, and a party to the fraud, was

sworn, and his evidence was substantially as Is a resident of Albany, New York, and an attorney-at-law by profession; about three weeks since received a commission from Governor Seymour, of New York, bearing the great

seal of the State, empowering him to go to Baltimore and Washington to assist in taking the votes of the soldiers of that State; on arriving in Baltimore reported at the office of State Agent Ferry; acquainted him of his business; proceeded to Fort McHenry and Fort Marshall and procured some of the votes of soldiers at those places; took altogether about three hundred; only about fifty of the votes were sealed up, the balance all being open, for the purpose of the county ticket being inserted by the committee in New York; met Donohue on the day he reached Fort McHenry, and daily thereaf ter for three days; next saw him on the follow ing Thursday in Washington, where they both remained until Saturday, and then came to Baltimore together: on arriving here on Satur day evening went immediately to State Agent's office, and there found Ferry and Wood; after conversing a short time went to his hotel; on Sunday morning went again to the State Agency, and Donohue, Wood and Ferry were all seated at a table busily engaged in writing out powers of attorney and soldiers' proxies; Donthue had a large pile on the table in front of him, being placed in alternate layers of blanks and envelopes; he first filled the blanks in the power of attorney, and then filled in the blanks in the envelopes to correspond; in some cases they would write a soldier's name, and add the words "his mark:" also saw him put in officers' names; the whole of the vote was prepared. except the ticket with the names of the candidates; at Donobue's request he filled in the dates, etc. of the powers of attorney and affidavits to which Donohne had signed names; had seen a list of the 128th New York regiment, from which names were being prepared; they were principally for Columbia county. In answer to a question by Donohue, New-

He was sent to Baltimore to assist him (Donohne) in taking votes; at Fort Marshall and Fort McHenry the envelopes containing the powers of a torney were kept open to allow the local county tickets to be inserted; he had no tickets but those containing the names of the McClellan electors; at Fort Marshall he told the soldiers there that be took nothing but McClelian voies; while at Fort McHenry a soldier approached him and said that he desired to vote; he asked the soldier if he intended to vote for Little Mac, as that was the only ticket he had; the soldier said he did not, that was not his stripe, and walked off; all the soldiers were given to understand that he and Donohue took none but McClellan votes; at Fort Marshall, Adjutant Walker, to facilitate the taking or the vote, took the oath of fifteen or sixteen soldiers at a time, signed his name to the power of attorney, he (Newcomb) and Donohue acting as wirnesses; several envelopes were left at Fort Marshall with Adjutant Walver's signature thereon; he was not positive that they had been left, as they might have been brought away by Ferry; had seen some of the electoral

comb replied, that

tickets with the names of the Union candidates but had never used any of them. three o'clock, and the Court took a recess to five e'dlock.

On the re-assembling of the Court, the Judge Advocate said he would place in evidence the authority under which the prisoner had acted The commission stated that Edward Donohas was empowered to take "Democratic votes of New York soldiers," and was eigned by "Horatio Seymour," Governor of New York, and his Private Secretary. With this the case closed on the part of the Government.

Mr. Donohne arcse and addressed the Court,

stating that he had not agged the name of any officer in the service of the State of New York, or of the United States The only name he did sign was C. G. Arthur, A. A. G., who had no existence, as it had been proved that there was no such person. He alluded to the laws of New York in relation to election frauds, and argued that he should be tried there if he had committed any offence. Wherever he had gone to collect the soldiers' votes he always and to collect the soldiers' votes he always an-nounced that he only desired those of Demo-crais. It was true that, in some cases, the encrais. It was true that, in some cases, the envelope containing the vote had been left open at his request. The same thing was done by the representatives of both political parties, in order that the tickets of the several counties to which the voters belonged could be placed therein when the ballot reached its destination. In the case of the first New York regiment, he took all the votes to New York himself. The powers of attorney he had signed would not be received by any of the Judges of Election in New York; because there was no such commissioned officer in any of the regiments bemissioned officer in any of the regiments be-longing to that State. What he had done was foolishly done and without any knowledge or idea of the consequences. He appealed to the Court to view his care with leniency. He was a young man and it was the first time be had ever been in a court of justice in any cause. His family felt deeply his position, as also his wife, to whom he had but recently been married. He had for the past five years been in the employ of the New York Central Railroad Company. No question had ever been raised es to his honesty, integrity or respectibility. He was no politician, and had no desire to be

In concluding, be appealed to the mercy of the Court, and was visibly affected, appearing to realize for the first time the dangerous situation in which his acts had placed him. The Judge Advocate then addressed the

Court as follows : It appears in this case that the defendant, Edward Conshue, Jr., a young man connected with the New York Central Road, a road to those who live in the city of New York almost synonimous with treason, has for the past two or three weeks been engaged in one of the most gigantic trauds ever a tempt-d to be perpetrated on this nation-a trand which, if it shail be successful, will, in my opinion, produce a disruption of our entire country, and our war for the preservation of the Union will be practically at an end and futite. It appears from the evidence of the witnesses before you, that en one occasion, when a Republican, who happened to bear something that was said by one of the State Agents of the State of New York that frauds were being perperrated, went to the office of the State Agent in this city and found him willing and ready to make false votes; and fraudulently representing himself as one of the party they were working for, ingratiated bimself into their confidence, and is allowed to see the workings of

It appears that the regular blanks for soldiers

their party.

are forged, the names of the officers who are purporting to swear the soldiery are written out by one party, the name of the soldier who casts his vote by another, and still a third one who fills up the blanks. These are then left, either sealed or unsealed, with the electoral ticket of the party which they represent, and, as the first witness testified to you, several dry goods boxes full of such votes have already left the city of Washington. At that time it will be borne in mind that Edward Donohue was in Washington. He comes to this city. How is this statement, as compared with his acc witness, Mr. Wood? Was it they who induced him to commit this fraud, or did he they? Does Newcomb say that Wood asked him, or was it Donohne who asked him to write these letters ? He finds Donohue in fall blast, writing as fast as he could, sometimes the pames of a soldier, and sometimes of an officer, sometimes giving one rank, and sometimes another-the other one filling up their names, and still a third one, the full blank. Thus the persons around this table in the course of Sunday afternoon filled up to the number of rearly a hundred, and if three persons could in one afternoon manufacture some one or two hundred such fraudulent votes, what could not twenty men similarly employed for wo weeks effect! The enormity of the fraud was appalling.

The Judge Advocate continued by dwelling upon the beinousness of the offerce. Here was a fraud that might well call for the infliction of the severest p nalty known to the court. The most sacred rights of the brave men who are absent from their homes periling their lives in the face of the enemy to uphold our liberties is invaded, and their votes are fraudulently sought to be given against the cause for which they have been periling their lives. Whilst absent in the field, these plotters at home seek to cast the ballots of these brave men without their consent, and whilst they cannot be present to speak for themselves or detend their rights. This prisoner, though one of a numerous family of children, cannot show that be his even one brother in the field upholding the flag of his country, is here proven to have conspired with others to defraud our brave soldiers of their exercise of the sacred elective franchise. A crime so enormous as this called for rigorous punishment, and he hesitated not to say it merited the ex-

treme peralty of death. The foregoing is the substance of Col. Foster's address. During its delivery the prisoner was evidently more than ever impressed with a sense of his critical position, and, at the conclusion of the Judge Advecate's address, left the Court in charge of the guard in a manner strikingly in contrast with the cold, defiant air with which be entered it in the morning.

The court room was now cleared and the Commission proceeded to deliberate upon the case. Of course its de is on cannot be known until it has been passed upon by the President. The Commission were only about half an hour in coming to their decision, when the doors were reopened and the Court adjourned.

ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS .- The following we take from the Alexandria State Journal: A late copy of the Richmond Dispatch has been received in this city. It contains an arti-cle on the train guards, which the sympathizers with the rebellion will no doubt regard as very severe. It calls upon Colonel Mosby not to spare a piece of lead as large as the head of a pin on their account—that the pretended secessionists of that city are too cowardly and contemptible to receive or claim any protection from those who are perilling their lives for the uccess of their cause, it further a ays that they can respect a Union man, but they have no respect whatever for those who claim to sympa hize with them, and at the same time remain in the Union lines and gain a livelihood from those they would lead people to believe they detest and abhor. The article concludes y advising Mesby to fire into the trains whenever an opportunity offers, and to pay no attion whatever to these safety-guards.

Some idea may be formed of the immense amount of business transacted at the office of Col. Wells, Provost Marshal General, when we state that as high as three hundred deserters are reported each week. Of course the disposition of these cases involve an immense amount of work, and the various clerks are often employed many hours beyond those which they are required to give to the office. Messrs Robertson. Berry and English, de-

tailed as safety guards on the Orange and Alxandria and Manassas Gap Sailroads, have been released by Capt. Gwyne, and Jno W. Burke, Jno. Dyer and Samuel Baggott have been arrested and detailed to take their places. Hon. L. H. Chandler, United States District Attorney, for the State of Virginia, has been lying dangerously ill with typhoid fever at his bome in Norfolk for some weeks past.

We are pleased to lear that be was some better when last heard from by his friends here, and that strong hopes are now entertained of his recovery "PETROLEUM .- We call attention to the advertisement, in another column, of the New

York and Liverpool Petroleum Company. This company has for its president that eminent citizen and statesman, Hon. Daniel S. Dickinson; as its prominent managers and stockholders, men of high standing, already ex-perienced and interested in the petroleum business. Its real estate consists of oil lands already yielding large and remunerative re-turns of oil. A portion of the stock offered for tale is already taken, and an able agent is now of it in that market. This state of things reof it in that market. This state of things removes the enterprise from among mere speculations, and places it at once in the class of
assured investments. In view of the change
of business affairs and the money market
which must accompany our return to peace,
such an investment is peculiarly attractive.
The demand for petroleum is practically unlimited, is rapidly increasing, and must, from
the nature of the case, be as permanent as that
for cotton or leather. This company therefore
proceeds upon a basis of rea! and not of specuiative values; it exhibits revenue already
coming in: it asks for subscriptions not to make
an experiment with, but to obtain funds under an experiment with, but to obtain funds under the order advantages of associated capital, for the proper enlargement of an enterprise proved profitable already." - New York Inde-

"The Robbers" and "Oliver Twist" are underlined to be shortly produced at the Rick-mont Theatre, unless Grant should alter the programme.

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